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## SLI test on aerospike engine technology successful

Stennis Space Center, Miss., has successfully completed a critical initial test in a three-part series for a Space Launch Initiative (SLI) test program of the Electro-Mechanical Actuator technology used on the former X-33 program's Linear Aerospike XRS-2200 flight engine set. Thursday's test was a "start-sequence" test that went the full scheduled duration of 5.32 seconds. Marshall is NASA's lead center for SLI.

Family Fun Day meal tickets go on sale Wednesday

Check out status of Space Station on the Web at: http://scipoc. msfc.nasa.gov

## **Center blood drive Friday**

The American Red Cross will hold a blood drive Friday in the NASA Exchange, Bldg. 4752. All blood types are urgently needed. Those whose last names begin with A-B should donate at 8 a.m.; C-F, 8:30 a.m.; G-H, 9 a.m.; I-L 9:30 a.m.; M-P, 10 a.m.; Q-S, 10:30 a.m.; and T-Z, 11 a.m. Donors will receive a coupon for a free Domino's pizza, and a Red Cross water bottle.

## Information on master's in computer info systems Tues.

The Florida Institute of Technology will host an information session for a master of science degree program in computer information systems from 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Tuesday in Bldg 5304. To reserve a seat, call Dr. R.L. Moss at 881-7878.

MESA meets at 11:30 a.m. Thursday in Bldg. 4471, room C-105

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